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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (TEXT)

FROM ATHERTON

U.S. DEL NO. 34

3.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PGOV IS US
SUBJ: ISRAELI DRAFT DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

1. IN MEETINGS TODAY WITH BEGIN, ISRAELIS PRESENTED US
TWO DRAFTS OF DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES MARKED (A) AND (B).
(A) IS IDENTICAL TO DRAFT GIVEN US BY ISRAELIS ON
JANUARY 24 AND IS THEREFORE ALREADY AVIALABLE TO
DEPARTMENT. (B) IS SLIGHTLY REARRANGED VERSION
OF (A) BUT WITH NO MAJOR SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE.

2. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF (B)

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DRAFT DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES (B)

1. THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT
AND ISRAEL ARE DETERMINED TO CONTINUE THEIR EFFORTS
TO REACH A COMPREHENSIVE PEACE SETTLEMENT IN THE REGION.

2. WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF SUCH A SETTLEMENT,

IN ACCORDNACE WITH UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 338, THE TWO GOVERNMENTS EXPRESS THEIR WILLINGNESS TO NEGOTIATE PEACE TREATIES ON THE BASIS OF ALL THE PRINCIPLES OF UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 242.

3. ON THE BASIS OF THE PRINCIPLES OF THE AFOREMENTIONED RESOLUTION 242, THERE WILL BE WITHDRAWAL OF ISRAELI ARMED FORCES FROM TERRITORIES OCCUPIED IN THE CONFLICT OF 1967 AND SECURE AND RECOGNIZED BOUNDARIES WITHIN WHICH EVERY STATE IN THE AREA WILL LIVE IN PEACE, FREE FROM THREATS OR ACTS OF FORCE.

4. THE TWO GOVERNMENTS AGREE THAT THERE SHALL BE A JUST SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM OF THE PALESTINIAN ARABS.

5. THE PALESTINIAN ARABS IN JUDEA, SAMARIA AND GAZA DISTRICT WILL HAVE THE RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DETERMINATION OF THEIR FUTURE THROUGH TALKS TO TAKE PLACE AMONG EGYPT, ISRAEL, JORDAN AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THESE PALESTINIAN ARABS.

6. THERE WILL BE TERMINATION OF ALL CLAIMS OR STATES OF BELLIGERENCY AND RESPECT FOR AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE SOVEREIGNTY, TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY AND POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE OF EVERY STATE IN THE AREA, AND THE
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ESTABLISHMENT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER, OF NORMAL, PEACEFUL RELATIONS, THROUGH THE CONCLUSION OF PEACE TREATIES.

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